



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hiroki MAEDA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1771

Serial No.: 09/477,725

Examiner: Hai Vo

Filed: January 5, 2000

For: INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND  
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified application. The shortened statutory period having expired December 11, 2002, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for three months. There is also attached our Check No. 16345 in the amount of \$930.00 in payment for:

- \_\_\_ Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$110.00) [\$55.00].
- \_\_\_ Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$410.00) [\$205.00].
- X Extension fee for response within third month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$930.00) [\$465.00].

03/12/2003 HDEHES1 00000093 09477725

01 FC:1253

930.00 DP

PLEASE ACCEPT THIS AS  
AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT  
OR CREDIT FEES TO  
DEP. ACCT. 16-0331  
PARKHURST & WENDEL

RECEIVED  
MAR 14 2003  
TC 1700 MAIL ROOM

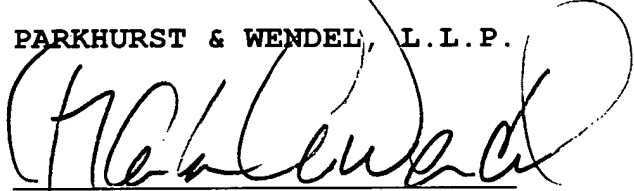
PATENT

1771  
\$  
#15  
31902  
002

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 16-0331. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

PARKHURST & WENDEL, L.L.P.

  
Charles A. Wendel  
Registration No. 24,453

March 10, 2003  
Date

CAW/ch

Attorney Docket No.: DAIN:540

PARKHURST & WENDEL, L.L.P.  
1421 Prince Street, Suite 210  
Alexandria, Virginia 22314-2805  
Telephone: (703) 739-0220

(rev. 10/97)